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Application Number	10/560,612
Filing Date	June 7, 2006
Inventor(s)	Etienne CLYMANS
Group Art Unit	3671
Examiner Name	M. Nguyen
Attorney Docket Number	5100-000028/US

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Remarks

## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual name	Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C.	Attorney Name Donald J. Daley	Reg. No. 34,313
Signature			
Date	September 11, 2008		

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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/560,612                      Group Art Unit: 3671  
Filing Date: June 7, 2007                      Examiner: M. Nguyen  
Applicant: Etienne CLYMANS  
Title: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR DISLODGING AND RECOVERING  
DREDGING MATERIAL OF VARYING NATURES  
Attorney Docket: 5100-000028/US

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Customer Service Window  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
**Mail Stop Amendment**

**Date: September 11, 2008**

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 30, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2,  
**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 7,  
**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
<b>Total</b>	18	-	20	=	0
<b>Independent</b>	1	-	3	=	0